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Gentlemen:

This correspondence is to provide notice of a modification to work under the Interagency Agreement (IAG), Part 32, Additional Work or Modification to Work, and to request an extension for deliverables under the IAG, Part 42, Extensions. This request is based on comments received for the Plan for Prevention of Contamination Dispersion (PPCD) and working meetings between the parties to discuss the comments.

For background, the Draft PPCD submitted September 19, 1990, received extensive comment from both EPA and CDH. Contamination dispersion issues also received extensive comment during the OU2 Interim Measure/ Interim Remedial Action public meetings. Based on this input, we agree that the original scope for the PPCD as defined in Section V, Attachment 2 - Federal Facility Agreement Statement of Work, should be expanded to address the additional public and regulatory concerns. The additional analysis will take more time, however, and field operations are expected to begin as early as March 1991. To provide the additional PPCD analysis, yet still protect the environment in the interim, we propose the following:

1) DOE will prepare an Interim PPCD for use during the Spring and Summer 1991 field work. This Interim PPCD will be submitted in final form to EPA and CDH by February 21, 1991, the milestone date for the PPCD. The Interim PPCD will make extensive reference to project specific Health and Safety Plan actions to prevent contamination dispersion. EPA and CDH will review the plan and consider it for approval without public comment or a responsiveness summary.

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2) DOE will submit the Final PPCD on April 18, 1991, rather than February 21, 1991, with additional coverage of contamination dispersion concerns. The remaining schedule items for the PPCD will be similarly extended by two months, including the Responsiveness Summary on the PPCD from June 26, 1991 to August 21, 1991.

Please contact me or Frazer Lockhart of my staff at 966-7846 if you have further questions on this request.

Sincerely,



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